

Subject: Legislation and funding for the Public Integrity Unit
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Mr. Verdin,

Please don't support any new laws or allocate any budget for tasks under the new public integrity unit. I want you to find out why the AG is using my money to staff an investigator and an attorney for dog fighting, but he won't spend any of his budget on an investigator of public corruption.

If he can't do the job with the money he already gets and the laws we already paid for, he doesn't need to 'spend' his way out of incompetency. That seems like increasing our debt ceiling to fix our country's credit problems.

Taxpayers already fund Title 1 Article 7 "Commission on Prosecution Coordination" **Section 1-7-910**, "There is created a commission to coordinate all activities involving the prosecution of criminal cases in this State"

Title 1 is full of laws telling Wilson to do the job of 'coordinating' investigation of public corruption. **1-7-110, 1-7-117, 1-7-130** gives AG specific duties relating to the Secretary of State.

I guess if Wilson wasn't allocating his budget to other priorities, he'd do the reports on local law enforcement 1-7-730 mandates him to do, in coordination with Solicitors. I can't find these reports anywhere.

Thus far I am a supporter of your fiscal oversight and fight for more openness. Don't spend more money for the AG to do what he's already supposed to be doing.

Thanks,

Katrina Fay

(sent to Pitts via legislature website)